



## CAN'T MOVE THE GRAIN

## Breezelets

Gasoline has been at a premium last week or two in town, and in some cases threshing operations had to be suspended.

We learn, too, that a local auto got stuck "somewhere in the country," owing to the shortage of this necessary juice last week.

But, we understand, however, that "Old Rye" bug juice was plentiful—at a price, and, apparently quite a number had the "dough."

As evidenced by the number of empty bottles hidden under the sidewalks, in the back alleys, and the narrow space between some of the buildings in town.

Have you heard that "dog gone" barking and mournful howling of Chinook's canine population at nights and during the wee sma' hours of the morn'?

Cheerful and pleasant, isn't it? Particularly after a busy and hard day's work—when that "tired feeling" has got you.

Passing a British law to compel economy ought not to be needed when the war tax begins to be felt.

Those who make it a practice to rise with the sun will have it completely their own way for few months, now.

It begins to look as though the war has a strong enough constitution to survive two winters.

An eminent beauty doctor is quoted as saying that girls would be prettier if they ate more onions and less chocolates.

Possibly because distance would lend enchantment.

Travellers arriving from Constantinople confirm the report that Emperor William is expected there.

The kaiser Con-stan-ti-no-ple there by the Allies.

Greek king calls party leaders to confer on crisis.

Sophie has the flat iron and the rolling pin again.

The trouble with some fire traps is that they not only catch fire, but they catch a lot of poor victims.

## Chinook Breezes

Mrs. Geiken has moved her tansorial parlor into the store one door south.

Station Agent Strong has built a garage for his auto, east of the depot.

The mild weather of this week has been a very agreeable change to the cold days of last week.

Mr. Ralph Green, Sec.-Treas. of R. M. of Golden Centre, No. 272, was in Chinook on Tuesday.

Mr. E. Kitchen of Cayley is here for a short visit, looking after his affairs south.

The New Acadia Hotel changed hands this week and is under new management.

Mr. Jas. Martin is erecting a very fine large barn—a very useful and necessary building on the farm.

Mr. W. Leadbetter and family have moved into the new house just built by Mr. Bird on Second Avenue West.

Mr. James Young is building a house on his lot on Railway St. east, and intends bringing his family in for the winter.

## Will Be In Time for "Newlyweds"

Messrs. Carl Lensegraf and E. Venables were in Calgary this week, purchasing a carload of household furniture for Chinook. Watch for their ad a little later.

## Back to "Hello" Again

Johnny Sandman has been a pretty sick lad the past week or two from liver trouble. Glad to see him about again and on duty at the "hello" office.

## Will Soon Incorporate as a Town

Five new residences are under construction in Chinook at the present time. A large cellar is being excavated for a sixth. We understand there are others yet to come.

## A Near Coal Famine

There was some difficulty in getting coal shipped into Chinook last week, owing to the trouble in getting cars at the mine heads, thus causing a young coal famine for a few days. The difficulty has been overcome now, several cars having since arrived.

## Was a Great Success

The patriotic concert and box social, held at Laughlin schoolhouse last Friday evening, was well attended, and very enjoyable evening was spent, everything going off in good shape. The management wish to thank those taking part and those attending. The sum of \$60.00 was realized.

## R. M. of Sounding Creek

## SPECIAL MEETING

A special meeting of the above Council was held on Monday, 15th. Members present: Messrs Price, Lennox, Cameron, Edler. Edler, that the provisions of the Herd Law By-Law be extended to Dec. 1st, in the following parts of the municipality:

Tp. 29 7 8 and 9  
W hf tp. 30-8 and tp. 30-9  
W hf tp. 31-8 and tp. 31-9

and that notices to this effect be published in the newspapers and sent to the poundkeepers, and posted in other conspicuous places in the municipality.

Price, that A. J. Malcolm be appointed returning officer at approaching elections, as Mr. J. E. Dickson has declined to accept the appointment.

Lennox, that, the Reeve and Councillor Edler be a committee to confer with the bailiff in the matter of seizure for taxes.

An amendment by Edler, that Councillor Lennox be a member of the committee in the place of Edler.

## Motion carried.

Lennox, that the above committee be empowered to make such arrangements as to remuneration as is necessary with the bailiff.

Cameron, that the Secretary advertise the day on which he is in Youngstown and Chinook for collection of taxes.

Cameron, that, whereas, notice has been given by the Hail Insurance Board, that unless the amt. owing from this municipality be paid once, suit will be entered; be it resolved, that the Reeve and Treasurer arrange for a temporary loan from the Bank to cover the indebtedness until taxes can be collected.

Lennox, that the date of next meeting be December 20, instead of 15th.

R. Clarke Fraser, Sec.

Caution children not to play with matches, and warn them of the danger of bonfires to both life and property.

A lantern should always be hung up, especially in the barn or stable. It should never be set on the floor, where it may be easily tipped over.

The rank and file of employees must be made to feel that safety work is their work, just as much as it is of their superiors in directive positions.

According to reports from German sources, 12,000 Arabs have joined with the British army in Mesopotamia. This army is said to have approached within a few miles of Bagdad.

## LITTLE GEM

There is still a quantity of grain unthreshed in this district.

Jack Loree and his bride, who have been in Calgary for some time, have arrived back in this district, where Jack will look after his property.

The dance last Friday night, given in aid of the Patriotic Fund realized \$19.00. The event was also a very enjoyable one to those who were present.

## Protect the Implements

## It Pays Every Every Time

The business ability of the farmer is in no way more clearly indicated than by the condition of his tools. Allowing his good machines to remain in the field where last used or uncovered in the barnyard results in decay. Nothing so injures machinery as exposure to the weather.

If an implement shed is not available, the machines should be assembled where they can be covered with temporary roofing, to keep off the snow and ice.

Roofing is cheap. Any farmer can erect a frame work to carry a roof. The two sides whence the storms approach should be closed. The protection thus afforded will amply repay the owner, while as an additional advantage, he will be able to utilize spare time in cleaning and painting his implements when close at hand and protected, which he could not do where they scattered over the farm.

## Unsafe Lanterns

The season of shortened daylight brings its own peculiar fire dangers. One of these is the use of the lantern about farm buildings. Of recent years, owing to competition, a low-priced lantern, which is a serious fire menace, has been placed upon the market. Instead of being securely screwed on the oil reservoir, the burner is simply slipped on, with the result that, if the lantern is upset, the burner comes off and the oil is allowed to run out upon the lighted wick. The result is either an explosion or a serious blaze, and unless speedily checked, damage to life and property.

It has been officially announced through the press censor's office that the troopship Scandinavia, which sailed from Canada on November 6th, has arrived safely in England.

## Chinook Breezes

Miss May Rankin, violinist, of Calgary, is visiting Mrs. Norman Stewart, Collholme.

Mrs. Smith, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shabino, the past few weeks, returned to her home on Thursday morning.

Mr. Kerry, who has been visiting his son, Norman, for two or three months, returned to his home at Uxbridge, Ont., on Monday.

Anniversary and thanksgiving services will be held in Chinook Methodist Church, on Sunday, November 21st, at 2.30 p.m. and 7 p.m. The preacher will be the Rev. Ed. S. Bishop of Calgary. Special music by the choir.

Don't forget the sale of work by the choir ladies, over at the church, on Nov. 25th. Both fancy and useful aprons, as well as a few other things, will be obtainable. Some of these things are just what you are looking for to send your friends for Xmas, so don't fail to be on hand. Come and see them, anyway, whether you buy or not.

## THANKSGIVING AT CEREAL

## DON'T MISS THIS!

The Cereal Methodist church will hold anniversary and thanksgiving service on Sunday evening next, when a special sermon will be given by the pastor, Rev. D. Simpson. The choir is preparing solos and other appropriate music suitable for the occasion. Then on Monday, Nov. 22nd, there is to be a real old-fashioned concert and fowl supper. Prices, 50 cents, children under 12, 25 cents. Now don't miss these treats. The concert will be worth the money—with the fowl supper into the bargain.

## PATRIOTIC CONCERT

## "FIGHT OR PAY"

A concert, box social and dance will be held in the Collholme schoolhouse, on Tuesday, Nov. 23rd, in aid of the Patriotic Fund. Miss Rankin, violinist, of Calgary has kindly consented to render a few selections. The remainder of a short programme will be given by local talent. Ladies, please bring boxes.

"How can you cheer for the boys when they come home, unless you fight or pay?"

Signed on behalf of the Committee.

J. A. McCOLLZ

## COAL!

## A Creditable Composition

The following is a composition on "Coal." The subject was given to the children of the junior room by the teacher, Miss Irvine. There were some other excellent papers given in, but the one below, written by Elizabeth Mills, aged 9, in grade iii. was considered to be the best on all points: "Once upon a time the continent of North America was covered with water it washed trees into swamps. They became matted together and after laying for many years formed into coal. Then men came with coal testers and found the coal. They put down shafts and began to mine it. The miners go down into the mines in the morning and stay there all day. Each miner has a small lamp fastened on his cap as it is dark in the mines. They pick the coal up in big lumps and is loaded into small cars drawn by a Donkey to the shaft and loaded onto small cars and hauled to the surface. It is then loaded onto railroad cars and shipped to coal dealers to be sold to the people. They find coal in Colman Frank-side Drum hillier and Edmonton. Coal is bought at Chinook six dollars for lump coal a ton."



## Mechanical Transport Drivers

Mechanical Transport Drivers who desirous to enlist for service with the Imperial Army, should forward their applications in writing to the District Officer Commanding, Military District No. 13, Calgary, Alta., with as little delay as possible as 3000 men are required by the Imperial authorities.

The rates of pay is \$1.46 per diem for skilled Mechanics, in addition to free rations, clothing and accommodation.

Separation Allowances will be granted to families or dependants at the following rates:

Wife only.....\$2.69 per week  
Wife and one child.....3.54 " "  
Wife and two children 4.40 " "  
Wife and three children 5.24 " "  
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Separation Allowances will be paid every four weeks.

## Officers of the Active Militia of Canada

All Officers of the Active Militia who are not already employed in Militia Service, either with Active Militia Unit or Expeditionary Force are requested to report as under to the District Officer Commanding Military District No. 13, Calgary, Alta., at once:

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J. A. Waterhouse, Cereals.**R. M. of Sounding Creek,  
No. 273****NOTICE**PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given,  
that all Taxes remaining unpaid on  
Dec. 1st next will be collected by d-  
tress of goods and chattels.  
By ORDER OF THE COUNCIL**R. M. of Sounding Creek,  
No. 273****NOTICE**Public Notice is hereby given that  
the provisions of the Herd By-Law  
restraining animals from running at  
large have been extended to Dec. 1st  
next in the following parts of the  
Municipality:Tp 8 29-7, 29-8 and 29-9  
W hf 30-8, 30-9  
W hf 31-8, 31-9

By ORDER OF THE COUNCIL

**R. M. of Sounding Creek,  
No. 273****NOTICE**Applications will be received up to  
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to the Municipality. Applicants to  
state remuneration expected, on per  
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administration of poison to the despotic  
external rulers are numerous com-  
pared with those which stand between  
queens of the honeybee and such a  
risk. Curiously enough, this is a phase  
of the internal economy of the hive  
which appears to have escaped ob-  
servation.In the British Isles no poisonous  
honey is collected. It is said that the  
bees have learned to avoid it. Probably  
there is some reason for this. At  
least one dangerous plant, the dou-  
ble-flowered, is harmless. Ivy honey  
would be the most suspicious of any  
gathered on a large scale, and it only  
exists, so far as observation goes, a  
slightly laxative effect on the digestive  
organs. Although in this country a  
poisonous honey is known, it is not  
with in other places, notably in Asia-  
Turkey. It was in this region that  
Xenophon's soldiers were poisoned  
2,300 years ago by honey from the  
Asclepiad plant, a plant which still  
flourishes in Armenia. Some centuries  
later a Roman army suffered similarly,  
but less severely, there being no  
deaths.An insulting saying.  
"O! did not mind the threats as him  
as much as the insulting style as his  
remarks," said one Irishman to an-  
other.And what did he say?  
"Well, he says to me, 'Hogan,' says  
he, 'tis a great notion O! have to  
jump on you and knock your face into  
shape!'"Here's Luck, Ethell  
"Ethell is not very handsome. Why  
do you call her a beauty?"  
"She's waiting for some man to ring  
her."—Boston Transcript.**WE WANT**1000 Subscribers to take the  
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alarm bell, and guaranteed for two years; or  
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bell on this clock is supposed to imitate London's Big Ben in tone; or  
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lamp. Burns coal oil with mantle;  
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Heavily Gold-plated Neckchain and Pendant (only one)  
Sack of Robin Hood Flour, or a sack of Five Roses Flour, or  
a sack of Purity Flour, or a sack of Gold Seal Flour (98  
lbs to the sack)Those bringing in 15 subscriptions can have their choice  
of one of the following articles:Pearl-handle Knife, containing 3 blades. Very useful knife; or  
Rayo Junior Lamp. Same as above, only one size smaller; or  
Ladies' Companion, very useful, containing scissors, &c., &c.; or  
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Dozen Plated Spoons, good quality.Those bringing in 10 subscriptions can have choice of one  
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count will be made. Renewable subscriptions will count as  
long as back subscriptions are paid. Competition ends Dec.  
31, 1915. Send for book of receipts**The Rhododendron.**An amusing story told by Hood de-  
scribes how a country nurseryman  
made a large sum out of sales of a  
simple little flower which he sold un-  
der the name of the Rhododendron. This  
charming name proved quite an ad-  
vantage to the ladies, and the flower  
became the rage of the season. It was  
one of those freaks of fashion for which  
there is no accounting. At length a  
botanist who found that the plant was  
not an uncommon weed requested to  
know where the nurseryman got the  
name from. He elicited the following  
reply: "I found this flower in the road  
beside us, so christened it the Rhodod-  
dendron."**Trained Nurses Who Lost.**When a doctor finds a nurse reading  
a book about her profession and not a  
novel while she watches at the bedside  
of a patient," said an up-town physi-  
cian, "that is the nurse he likes to hire  
and to help. If the case turns out well  
the doctor sometimes makes her a pres-  
ent of a book with up to date ideas on  
her profession which she might not be  
able to buy. One-half the trained  
nurses of the city are dependent upon  
the recommendations of physicians,  
and half the success of a physician de-  
pends on a good nurse; therefore a doc-  
tor likes a nurse who reads about her  
business, attends lectures and keeps up  
with the times."You would be astonished to know  
how many lectures are given by phy-  
sicians in New York every month that  
are open to trained nurses, but which  
few of them attend. There are a good  
many hangers among the trained nurses.  
They seem to think their study ended  
when they got their diploma."**Cutting.**Young Wife—How fortunate I am  
in possessing a husband who always  
stays at home in the evening!  
Rovous Friend—Yes, your husband  
never was much addicted to pleasure.**His Financial Interest.**"I understand Jigson has a financial  
interest in the concert he is with."  
"Yes, they owe him six months' salary."**CHINOOK PHARMACY**

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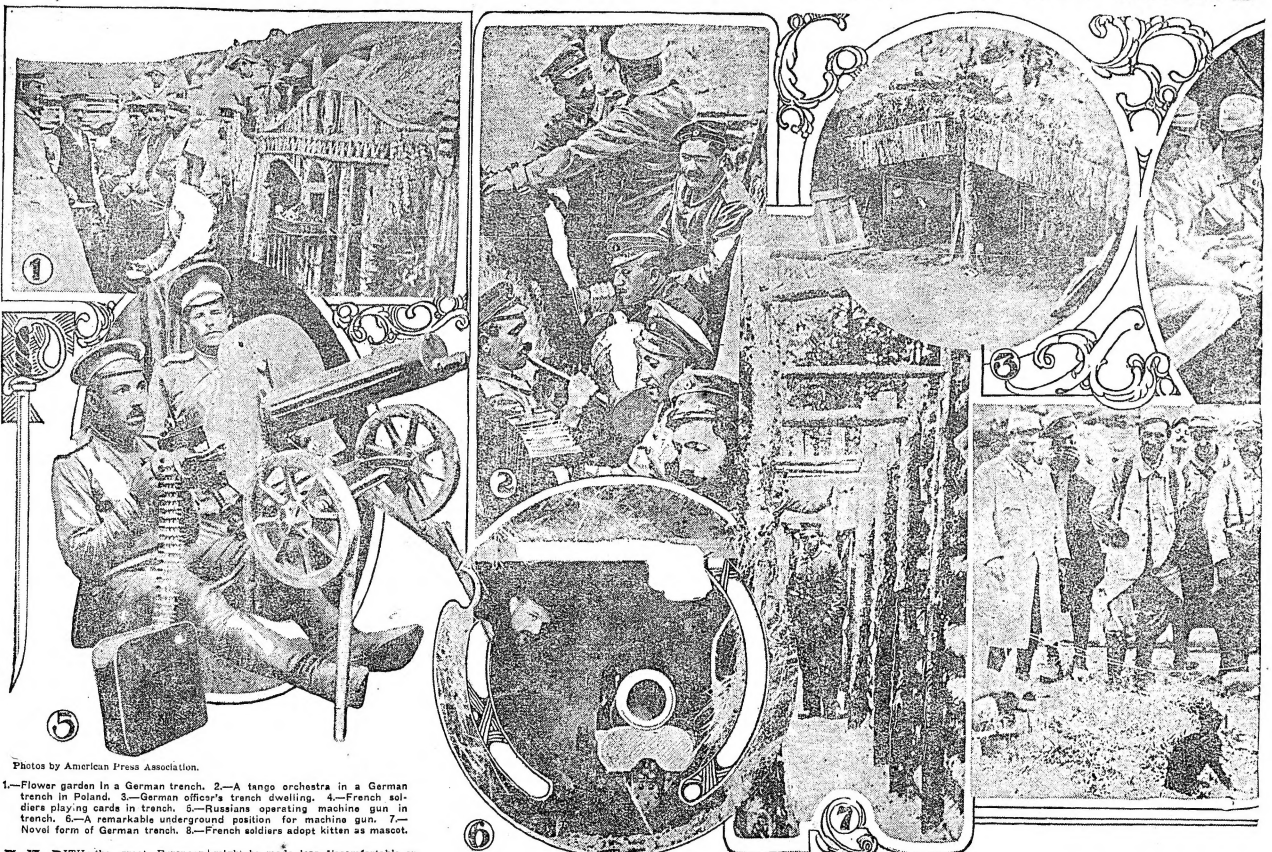
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# TRAGEDY AND COMEDY IN TRENCHES



Photos by American Press Association.

1.—Flower garden in a German trench. 2.—A tango orchestra in a German trench in Poland. 3.—German officer's trench dwelling. 4.—French soldiers playing cards in trench. 5.—Russians operating machine gun in trench. 6.—A remarkable underground position for machine gun. 7.—Novel form of German trench. 8.—French soldiers adopt kitten as mascot.

WITH the great European war developed into sieges, with hundreds of thousands of men in the trenches, interest attaches to how the men in these subterranean passages live and how they occupy the time when they are not shelling or being shelled.

Paris newspapers tell of a new organization called "The Soldier in the Trenches." Its honorary president is M. Maurice Barres, while the executive committee has for its head Comte de Chamont-Gully. Other members of the governing board are Marquis de Bellerive, Mme. de Bire, Mme. Paul Deschamps, Marquis de Piers, Mme. R. Janssen, Marquis de Lubersac, Mme. H. Michel, Mme. A. Noblenat, Marquis de Bayne, Baronne Belliere, Lucienne de Trevis, M. Chassaigne-Goyon and M. Proment-Meurice.

The particular object of the society is to devise some new means by which the life of the soldier in the trenches

might be made less uncomfortable or perilous and to apply such means, after being successfully tested, to the practical benefit of the trench dweller.

For instance, one has realized the great importance of protecting the soldier against the humidity in the trenches and preventing his getting frostbitten feet. The new organization already has sent out for trial some water tight overcoats which are said to give good service. Great supplies of socks, stockings and gaiters of the best material also have been shipped to those parts of the front where the soldiers pass their entire days and nights, with hardly any interruption, in the trenches.

## Organize Club in Trenches.

Many are the tales told of the pains taken to make the trenches fit to live in, their permanent character making it worth while to spend some time and trouble in making them habitable. In one trench reserved for staff officers a bench was dug out all round and two "tables" were left when the trench was

dug. This place is the location of the "Troglodytes club." The club has a set of rules which prohibit any amusement when they were drawn up to the music of bursting shells than when read in cold blood in a quiet home. Here are the regulations:

First—Members of the club are officers who wish shelter from the rain or storms (including shells).

Second—Entry to the club is forbidden (a) to all who do not belong to the French army and (b) to German projectiles.

Third—Games of chance (bulletin, shells, shrapnel) are rigorously forbidden in the club's premises. They are only allowed outside, and preferably outside the artillery park altogether.

Fourth—Owing to special circumstances exception is made for the game of "battle" (the French name for the card game "Baccarat my neighbor"). Bridge is also authorized provided the

"dead" are not counted at end of game.

Fifth—The game of "dames" (checkers), although quite inoffensive, is also prohibited. (The French word for checkers is "dames," which means "ladies.")

Sixth—Every member of the club indulging in the game of "eches" (chess) will be shot at once and, in addition, expelled. (The French word "eches" also means "check" in the military sense.)

Seventh—Taking a cello is forbidden, but trenches may be taken.

Eighth—Members may sleep on the divans, but they are forbidden to take their boots off.

Ninth—The telephone box is strictly reserved for the service. In no case may members use it to give news to their families or carry on clandestine correspondence with the gentler sex.

Tenth—The pictures and works of art decorating the room are placed un-

der the safeguard of those using it.

Eleventh—The tables are at the disposal of all members, but each must bring his own writing paper and materials.

Twelfth—A company of "chasseurs" is at the disposal of members of the club. (A chasseur, besides meaning a certain kind of soldier, also means a messenger boy.)

A Lively Cabaret Show.

"What would first nighters, opera goers and Broadway sports give to be able after the show to go to a cabaret performance in the trenches?" writes a soldier in a letter.

"I saw one between R— and C—, more than 600 officers and men assembled in a trench and listened for two hours and a half to a well combined program of first class artists, with the music supplied by the 4th regiment."

"An exhibition of one step was given by a sergeant and a private, both from Chicago."

"While the performance was going on the roaring of the guns was sometimes so terrible that you could scarcely understand what the artist was singing. A shell burst about 150 yards to the right of the trench at 10 p. m. while a zouave was making a comic recital. He interrupted just one or two seconds muniton necessary to stand at the fashionable stage. Here also the staff is quartered, and an entire army corps can easily be accommodated under the same roof."

"Gentlemen, open your umbrellas. We shall proceed!"

"He was heartily applauded for his ground with everything necessary for coal behavior. For every one believed its livelihood for months."

The bomb had burst in the trench cabaret."

The German hammering at Verdun, the fortress on which the drive of a year ago went to pieces like a wave on a rock, may continue for years without making the slightest impression.

The underground life with which the trench combat of this war have familiarized the world and to which the modern soldiers are already accustomed has here reached its climax in an immense underground city prepared for the defenders of the key to northern France.

## Miles and Miles of Streets.

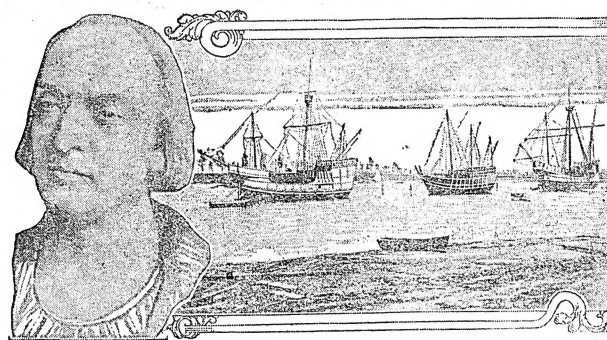
Miles upon miles of streets, alleys and public squares, chambers stocked with wine, flour and dried meats and lodgings, recreation rooms, a bakery equipped to make bread for 50,000 men and heat, light and telephones, like a modern apartment house, have been constructed beneath the smoldering, unrelenting surface of the meadows of the valley of the Meuse, surrounding France's barrier which has been placed in the path of whoever attacks from Metz.

On the level of the old moats of the ancient fortress (seventy-five feet below the summit) the galleries begin. There are no evidences in the most perfect military preparations that stretch the right of the trench at 10 p. m. while a zouave was making a comic recital. He interrupted just one or two seconds muniton necessary to stand at the fashionable stage. Here also the staff is quartered, and an entire army corps can easily be accommodated under the same roof."

"Gentlemen, open your umbrellas. We shall proceed!"

"He was heartily applauded for his ground with everything necessary for coal behavior. For every one believed its livelihood for months."

## COLUMBUS DAY CELEBRATIONS GROWING



Christopher Columbus and reproductions of his ships.

**COLUMBUS DAY.**  
Columbus heard the military call.  
That filled his soul with wild unrest.  
Defying hindrances and toils,  
He sailed into the unknown west.

Africans followed him afar,  
Braving the danger of the sea,  
To find upon a foreign shore  
The perfect gem of liberty.

The air of freedom here they breathe.  
They learn to toil, to think, to pray,  
Gently their hearts with pride will swell  
To celebrate Columbus day.

—JANE M. LYON.

ALTHOUGH in a great majority of the states of the Union Oct. 12, the birthday of Christopher Columbus, the discoverer of America, is a legal holiday, little is known of the personality of the great voyager.

No one thought to paint a portrait of the great discoverer of America when he was around to sit for it, so that a real conception of the man must be a composite of sparse contemporary descriptions and from a variety of pic-

tures of the explorer from earlier times. The Columbus portraits are of three general types. The first and best credited group represents him with long, smooth shaven face. The second shows the round face, some with and without the dimple, about which historians have gravely argued. The third includes all those which show him with a beard.

The descriptions of Columbus furnished by his contemporaries are worth noting as a basis for a comparison of the pictures. One writer, Trivelpiano, agrees the round face, some with and without the dimple, about which historians have gravely argued. The third includes all those which show him with a beard.

"Christopher Columbus, a Genoese, a man of tall and lofty stature, of a ruddy complexion of great intelligence and with a long face."

Oviedo, the historian, was a youth at the time of the return of Columbus from his voyage, and while he may have seen Columbus, his idea of the explorer's appearance is produced by the statement that his description is partly based on what he had heard from the men of Columbus' nation. His

was of good stature and appearance, of more than medium height and with strong limbs, his eyes bright and his other features of good proportion, his hair very red and his nose somewhat burned and freckled."

Another acquaintance of Columbus, Luis Cassa, the historian of the Indies, says:

"His form was tall, above the medium, his face long and his countenance imposing, his nose aquiline, his eyes clear blue, his complexion light, tending toward a decided red; his beard and hair were red when he was young, but which came then had early turned white."

Finally there is the description of Christopher Columbus by his own son, Ferdinand, who might be supposed to know whereof he wrote.

"The admiral," writes Ferdinand, "was a man of good form, of more than medium stature, with a long visage, the cheek bones a little high, inclining rather to stoutness nor thinness. His nose was aquiline and his eyes light. He was a blond, inclining to light col-

oring. In his youth his hair was fair, but when he was thirty it had all turned white."

The first portrait of which there is mention in the records was in the collection of one Paulus Jovius, who wrote a history of the world, beginning with the events of 1494. This shows the long face and aquiline nose.

In regard to the round faced type, Theodore de Bry, in his "Collection of Voyages," says:

"The king and queen of Castile commanded that his portrait should be painted from life by some renowned artist, in order that if he never came back from his expedition they might possess of him some memorial. And so, to my great joy, lately I have had a copy of this portrait from a certain friend of mine who had received it from the artist himself."

The bearded type, though not the most common, is nevertheless frequently used.

In the movement to make Columbus day a national holiday prominent Italians are quoting the speech made by Charles V. Fairbanks at a banquet of the Knights of Columbus held in Indianapolis, Ind., two years ago. At this banquet Mr. Fairbanks said in part:

"It is a fine tribute to our sense of gratitude that after more than 400 years have elapsed since the great navigator reached San Salvador, we should pause to recall his arduous work and briefly survey the tremendous results which have flowed from what he accomplished."

"When Columbus set out on his voyage which led to the discovery of the western continent, he was seeking a shorter route to the eastern shores of the orient. While he did not succeed in his ambitious enterprise, he nevertheless accomplished far more than he anticipated, and in the final analysis he has have witnessed, he was inspired with visions keen enough to foretell how a great people would be developed in the western world and how the destinies of other peoples would be influenced by the precept and example of the millions who were to set up and develop their institutions in the land discovered by Columbus."

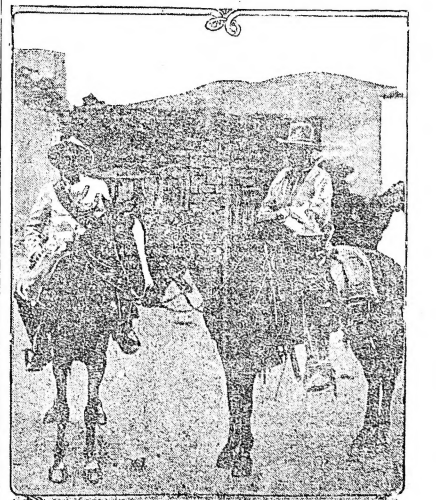


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Types of Mexican bandits.







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A. NICHOLSON,  
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## WOMANS' INSTITUTE

### Election of Officers at Next Meeting

The meeting of the Chinook  
Women's Institute was held at  
the home of Mrs. Peck, Nov.  
13th.

Mrs. McLaughlin presided,  
and the meeting opened with  
the singing of the National  
Anthem and prayer.

Both unfinished and new  
business was discussed, and  
the next meeting it was decid-  
ed to be held November 27th,  
at 2.30 p.m. in the schoolhouse.  
All members are requested to  
make a special effort to attend  
as new officers for the coming  
year are to be elected. Please  
come early.

Mrs. Aitken gave an inter-  
esting paper on "The necessity  
for social life in the country  
districts."

At the close of the meeting  
Mrs. Peck served a dainty  
lunch, which was much appre-  
ciated.

### Oh, Those Aprons!

The aprons, &c., which the  
ladies of the choir are preparing,  
will be ready for sale on Thursday  
the 25th, and will be found on  
that day over at the church. Come  
early and take your choice before  
things are gone, as the supply of  
articles for sale are limited.

## Old Fashioned Thanksgiving Supper

On Thursday, Nov. 25th, (Uncle  
Samuel's Thanksgiving Day), a  
fowl supper will be provided by  
the Chinook ladies' aid. Price,  
50 cents; children under 12, 35  
cents.

### Herd By-Law Extended

The provisions of the Herd  
By-Law have been extended to  
Dec. 1st, in certain districts, in  
Sounding Creek rural municipal-  
ity. See minutes of meeting in  
another column.

### Wined a Trick.

Thespie—Why did she discharge her  
press agent?  
Foyer—There was a fresh bit of sen-  
sational about her, and he never heard of  
it.

### On Exhibition.

No sermon is too long for her  
Who wears to church a new  
Fall bonnet or some stylish fur  
And fills a foremost pew.  
—San Francisco Examiner.

### In the Moonlight.

"I love you more than I can tell" he  
exclaimed passionately.  
"Well," she answered coyly, "they  
say actions speak louder than words."  
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